

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE

TO AMEMBASSY MEXICO

INFO DEA HQS WASHDC

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HQS PASS TO DEA EL PASO INTEL CENTER FOR INFO

HQS FOR EOIL - PLACE

S/NM FOR VANCE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR CS

SUBJECT: GFT: BRIAN LNU

1. REFERENCE SAN JOSE 2357 AND LOU DEA MEXICO 327 REGARDING  
USE OF \$8000.00 FLASHROLL.

2. FLASHROLL WAS NOT UTILIZED. DURING PREPARATION FOR  
INTRODUCTION OF S/A AVELINO J. FERNANDEZ TO SUSPECT, IT WAS  
NOTED THAT CI WAS EXTREMELY NERVOUS AND OVERLY CONCERNED  
FOR HIS PERSONAL SAFETY. THE CI DRANK TOO MUCH AND THE  
SUSPECTS THEN WOULD NOT ALLOW HIM TO INTRODUCE THEM TO  
S/A FERNANDEZ. INFORMATION FURNISHED BY STF-5-0002  
CONCERNING BRIAN LNU'S INVOLVEMENT IN THE COCAINE TRAFFIC  
AND HIS POSSESSION OF TWO AND ONE-HALF KILOGRAMS OF  
COCAINE HAS BEEN PARTIALLY VERIFIED THROUGH A SEPARATE  
SOURCE. BRIAN LNU HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS BRIAN BENSON  
WHO HAS A SAILBOAT EITHER AT COCO BEACH OR IN PUNTARENAS.  
INVESTIGATION IS CONTINUING IN AN ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY  
BRIAN'S SAILBOAT AND EFFECT SEIZURE OF THE COCAINE.  
DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT BY DEA ONLY.

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BRUCE D. VAN MATRE, SAIC

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